



IMMANUEL BIBLE CHURCH

June 21, 2020

Announcements

Back to Pierce Lake:



Our landlord at Pierce Lake Elementary School has cleared us to return to the building for worship. We are resuming worship at Pierce Lake Elementary School this Sunday, June 21. Please reference the health policy emailed to you for details on meeting together for worship. There will be no evening service for tonight, and no Junior Church, nursery, Sunday School or 2nd Cup Café for the time being.

Evening Service:

Our regular evening service will start up again next week, Sunday, June 28th, at 5:45 pm, in the worship center at Pierce Lake. Pastor Park will be teaching. We hope to see you there!

Sunday Morning Prayer:

Sunday morning prayer time is continuing; however, we are switching to meeting in-person. Join us Sundays at 8:30 am at Pierce Lake in the west end of the main hall.



Bulletins:

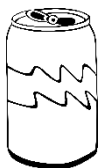
We are continuing with digital bulletins going forward. They will be sent out every Friday. There will be no paper copies of the bulletin handed out on Sundays. If you take notes during the sermon, we ask that you please bring your own paper/notepad. Thank you.

Senior Center Help:

IBC is mowing the garden area at the Senior Center. The mowing takes about 45 minutes and needs to be done once a week. A reliable push mower is located in the shed next to the garden. Please email or call Carl if you can take the month of **August or September**. (carlschwarze@gmail.com or 734-323-3527)

Offer for Masks:

Sandy Diemer makes face masks and has offered to make some available to those who may be having difficulty getting a mask. She can be called or emailed at the information in the church directory, or contact the church office. If she doesn't answer the phone, please leave a message.



Returnable Can Collection:

The youth group will be collecting returnable cans; the proceeds will go towards future youth group activities. Beginning Monday, June 22nd, you can drop your cans off at the IBC building at Summit Street on Mondays, Wednesdays, or Fridays from 9 am until 2 pm. Please let us know if you have cans to donate, but are unable to drop them off.

IBC Missions Update

Chris & Zoe Fletcher/Teach Beyond

June 12, 2020: Thank you so much for all of the check-ins, care, and prayers during this challenging season!

- My grandma got her knee brace off, and is doing well! Her wound is (mostly) healed, and she is mostly independent. We have been able to move back home, while also still spending lots of time with her now

that school is over. The current challenge is to keep her from trying to do everything all at once! Looking back, we have so CLEARLY seen God's hand in this. She broke her knee on April 13th, right in the height of the pandemic here in Hungary, and right when she was really getting antsy. This caused us to move in with her and keep her company. The broken knee kept her from the 40 stairs to get out.

- I was able to renew my teaching license with minimal issues after getting some tips from a friend who had recently been through the process.
- The school year has officially ended. Though we ended with the distance learning model, we were able to have an in-person graduation ceremony (for graduates and their parents), an in-person graduation party, and end-of-the-year picnic. Restrictions are easing up in Hungary, and we are feeling hopeful.

Our summer plans have also changed. We had planned on being in the U.S. this summer, but unfortunately international travel is a bit of a struggle right now. We've been praying a lot about how to use this summer for ministry. God has really laid discipleship on our hearts: Chris is meeting up with a group of senior boys, and I am going to be leading a middle school girls' Bible study in a park! I just sent out the information to MS parents and students, so please be praying for favorable responses, and for the Lord to be at work!

Thank you for your prayers. Please let us know how we can be praying for you!

Instructions on Giving:

There are three ways to remain faithful in giving back to the Lord.

- You can mail your check to Immanuel Bible Church (145 East Summit Street, Chelsea, MI 48118).
- You can put a check in an offering box located at the back of the worship center at Pierce Lake.
- Give online using the secure giving platform on our website at ibcchelsea.com.

Instructions to view or listen to this week's message:

Go to the church website at ibcchelsea.com. You can join us in worship on Sunday mornings by clicking on the word SERMONS in the menu bar above, or on the "Sermons" bubble in the "Preaching the Word" section.

Opportunities for Assistance:

IBC would like to take the opportunity to serve those in our church/community who may need assistance:

- Grocery/errand runs for those who are high risk (elderly, immuno-compromised, pregnant or sick).
- Child care on a limited basis. For those in need of child care during this time, please let us know.
- Please contact one of the elders to coordinate any needs not included on this list as well.

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